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PATENT

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS: Kazutake OKAMOTO, et al.
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FOR: HEAT-RESISTANT FILM AND COMPOSITE ION-EXCHANGE MEMBRANE
GROUP ART UNIT: 1797
Examiner: Menon, Krishnans

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

SIR:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated March 6, 2008, applicants request that the Office Action be reconsidered in view of the amendments and remarks as shown below.

Amendments to the specification begin on page 2.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 3.

Remarks begin on page 10.